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1. General unrest is reported among officers of the Colombian armed forces because of governmental action in the political campaign. Source was advised by Col. Manuel Agudelo that active junior officers had discussed with him the possibility of a military coup to be initiated by them. No details were furnished, but the conversations indicated that the plan is in the formative stage and has not been sufficiently organized to be carried out in the immediate future.
2. A cabinet crisis was provoked by Liberal and Conservative cabinet members when they submitted their resignations to the President on 6 May 1949.

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